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FOR: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING  
STATIC ADDRESSES FOR INTERNET  
CONNECTED DEVICES EVEN IF THE  
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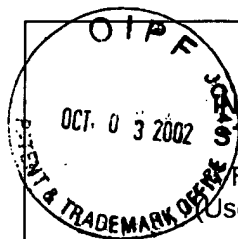
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